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a Month, Single Copies, 50c**DEMOCRATS IN
SENATE CAUCUS
WORK OVER THE
REVENUE BILL**

**Corporation License Tax Is
Agreed Upon and the Ob-
jectionable Stamp Tax Fea-
tures Are Eliminated.**

**MUNITIONS MUST HELP
MAKE UP THE REVENUE**

**Adjustments Are Made in the
Income Tax Section; Under-
wood Says He Will Oppose
Certain Features.**

**HUGHES PETTIFOGLIO,
IS M'ADOO'S CHARGE**

BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WRITER

Washington, Aug. 13.—A corporation stock increase is to raise approximately \$20,000,000, eliminated most of the objectionable stamp taxes which once had been accepted and approved, and an amendment of the proposed net profit tax on munitions manufacturers were determined upon by the democratic senate caucus in session after a five hour debate on the revenue bill.

Southern and western senators made a bitter assault upon the financial committee amendment which proposed a 10 per cent tax on the new profits of manufacturers of materials used as component parts of munitions of war. It was insisted that it would result in a heavy tax on cotton and copper entering into the manufacture of munitions.

As approved, the section relating to munitions provides that net profit tax of 10 per cent be levied upon manufacturers of all munitions and that a 5 per cent tax be levied on manufacturers of materials which enter into such munitions. The estimated loss of revenue due to the 5 per cent reduction will be about \$3,000,000.

A Happy Thought.

To make up for this decrease and also to provide for the elimination of proposed features against which a fierce battle was gathering not only in the caucus but in the house, Senator Shaduous suggested a license tax of 50 cents on each \$10,000 of capital stock, undivided profits and surplus of all corporations, \$100,000 of the stock of each corporation to be exacted. The proposal was seconded by all the senators present at once and incorporated into an amendment which was unanimously approved. The tax would apply to all corporations, including banks, having undivided surplus in excess of \$100,000.

In perfecting the income tax section the caucus agreed to an amendment reducing the increased surpluses and incomes in excess of \$500,000 so tolled.

In net income exceeding \$100,000 but not exceeding \$1,000,000, a tax of 10 per cent, exceeding \$1,000,000 but not exceeding \$10,000,000, 11 per cent, exceeding \$10,000,000, but not exceeding \$20,000,000, 12 per cent, exceeding \$20,000,000, 13 per cent. The caucus was the first to meet on Sunday within the memory of any senator.

The caucus which remained in session until late tonight, qualified the stock license tax so that it would not apply to munitions contractors (taxed under the munitions section). The caucus failed to agree on what stamp taxes should be retained.

Senator Underwood announced today he would make a vigorous fight on the death-duty tariff proposed in the bill, or the ground that it is undemocratic. He also expects to fight the tariff commission proposal.

**APPROPRIATIONS HAVE
BROKEN ALL RECORDS**

Washington, Aug. 13.—The importance of the \$260,000,000 revenue bill on which senate democrats today devoted many hours of deliberation in caucus is being impressed on the fact that appropriations of the session now nearing completion by congress will probably be approved for purposes probably will approach \$1,000,000,000, as against \$1,000,000,000 for the sixty-third congress.

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Besides regular supply bills which as they now stand \$1,575,000,000, congress will have added when the shipper's bill is approved, making available for general purposes.

There also have been contract authorizations amounting to about \$25,000,000 of which would bring the total amount to \$1,575,000,000.

With passage this week of the \$300,000,000 ship purchase bill and appropriations by the house of the six-months gigantic bill, the appropriations for the sixtieth congress has exceeded the previous high record of at least a half billion dollars.

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With President Wilson and a majority of the early leaders strongly supporting the senate's naval bill, and the president's increases, it is believed the house will agree to them after advocates of a small navy have

THE WEATHER

THE WEATHER FORECAST.
Denver, Aug. 13.—New Mexico Monday and Tuesday local thunderstorms; not much change in temperature.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.
For twenty-four hours, ending at 4 p. m. yesterday.

Maximum temperature, 87 degrees;

minimum, 60; range, 27; temperature at 4 p. m., 76; southwest wind, partly cloudy.

**ALL OBSTACLES
ARE SWEPT AWAY
BY SOLDIERS OF
ENTENTE ALLIES**

made their last fight. In anticipation of a close vote every absent representative was notified more than a week ago of the approaching contest which will mark the climax of the national defense campaign this week.

Appropriations for preparedness will aggregate approximately \$540,000,000, unless unexpected developments should force a reduction in the naval program. While the house this week is bringing defense legislation to a close, the senate will pass the ship bill, workmen's compensation bill, and conference reports preparatory for the revenue bill on which a stubborn political assault will be waged by the republicans.

When the amended bill gets through conference it is expected Congress will be ready to adjourn. Adjournment of both parties are hoping adjournment will come by September 1.

**OFFENSIVE KEPT UP
BY DUKE OF ACOSTA**

Men Come to Grips in Hand
to Hand Encounters; Brit-
ish Dispute Claim of Turks
in Region East of Suez.

**ADDITIONAL TROOPS
ARRIVING AT DEMING**

Deming, N. M., Aug. 13.—The First and Second Arkansas infantry arrived here today from Little Rock and went into camp. Col. Henry Strong, in command, reported the trip without incident.

Not a single man reported sick.

**AGITATORS ARE
RESPONSIBLE FOR
MEXICAN UNREST**

**SOCIALISTS ARE BLAMED FOR
DISCONTENT NOW PREVAILING;
FOOD SCARCITY AND LACK OF
WORK ARE FACTORS.**

**ITALY'S KING SAYS
THANKS TO HIS ARMY**

London, Aug. 13.—From Paris, 6:15 p. m.—Victor Emmanuel, in an order of the day, thanked the army for its victory in Italy, which he said had been won at Verona.

The king, characterized as another great soldier along the lines of his father, King Umberto, was welcomed by the people of the city.

According to the paper, Carrara and representatives of the Federation of Syndicates, the organization behind the strike, informed them that in view of their action in striking, Socialists in Mexico were attributed to the influence of socialist labor agitators.

Arrivals in El Paso from the same colony, however, said that the food scarcity and lack of opportunity for work are important factors.

Private disputes here from employers, held here in conjunction with the strike, had driven the Turks away.

The following announcement in regard to this conflict was given out here today:

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**INTERNAL REVENUE
COLLECTIONS LARGE**

**BRITISH DRIVE BACK
THE TURKS IN EGYPT**

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**BERLIN ASSAULTS RUSSIAN
ATTACKS ARE REPULSED**

London, Aug. 13.—From Paris, 6:15 p. m.—The regulars of the British army, at various points on the eastern front, repelled attacks of the Russian forces.

Thus, the British regulars, supported by British and Indian troops, repelled attacks of the Russians.

Thirteen miners killed.

Twelve miners were killed early this morning in an explosion in the Astoria mines near Elko. The cause of the explosion is not known.

**GROUND SHAKES
UNDER INTENSE
BOMBARDMENT OF
TEUTONIC TROOPS**

French Forces Capture Nu-
merous Armed Forts and
Fortified Redoubts in an
Hour and Twenty Minutes,

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT FINDS THAT THE GUNFIRE IS UNCREASING AND EACH DAY FINDS SOME POINT TAKEN.

**ORDER TO CHARGE IS
AWAITED PATIENTLY**

Germans Defend the Ground
Inch by Inch, But Their Re-
sistance Is In vain and They
Are Forced to Retreat.

**STRATEGIC POSITIONS ENABLE
ENGLAND'S SOLDIERS TO HURL
A RAIN OF LEAD ON THE GER-
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**A TORRENT OF SHELL
FIRE IS MAINTAINED.**

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**DEADLOCK STILL
IS UNBROKEN IN
NEGOTIATIONS TO
PREVENT STRIKE**

**A GENERAL WALKOUT WHICH
WILL THROW APPROXIMATELY
TWO MILLION MEN OUT OF**